

### **Poem of the Ship**

*Pump pump* all the running shared  
*boom boom* the guns fire  
and the ship goes to the right.  
Itchy hammocks – we're longing for a bed.  
Well, that's life on ship!

*Alex*

### **Poem of the Gypsy**

Going through all weather:  
wind, rain and sun.

It's work is never done.  
Rocking through the stormy seas  
and gloomy grey skies  
no, it's work is never done.

*Saskia*

### **Poem of the Shipwreck**

Gypsy!  
Gypsy!  
The ship says goodbye  
as it sinks in the murky river.  
Can we still hear the cries?

*Blake*

### **Poem of the Kit Locker**

Kit locker locked away  
It won't open – why?  
Why won't you open?

*Fraser*

### **Poem of the Straw Hat**

See that straw hat.  
Focus on it.  
It did look silly  
on a sailor's head

*Francis*

### **Poem of the Duffle Coat**

There it hangs upon the wall.  
Big, thick and brown,  
never to be able to hug  
a cold lonely sailor again

*Shannon*

## **Always**

Soft clouds cushioning the sky  
sea birds flying gracefully  
an apple jumps off a tree  
a bee collects pollen from a dazzling flower

*Time passing, clocks ticking*  
*The thing you do next*  
*can change the world*

Explosions of bombs, volcanoes and stars,  
posters are stuck to the wall,  
a fly is eaten by a spider.

Like a jack in a box waiting  
for just the right moment,  
waiting for the road block to clear –  
we're doing our thing

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